

The attached Appendix includes marked-up copies of each rewritten claim (37 C.F.R. §1.121(c)(1)(ii)).

Claims 9-11 and 13, previously dependent on now cancelled claim 8, have been amended to be dependent on claim 6. For at least the reasons as stated in the Amendment filed on March 20, 2002, as well as the above, Applicant respectfully submits that claims 1-2, 4-7 and 9-33 define patentable subject matter. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this Application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below.

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## APPENDIX

## Changes to Claims:

The following are marked-up versions of the amended claims:

9. (Amended) The electro-optical device according to claim 68, the parallel leads being branched from one lead, which comprises the third conductive layer, and being used in an intersection with another lead, which is different from said one lead and comprises the third conductive layer comprising the third conductive layer.

10. (Amended) The electro-optical device according to claim 68, the peripheral circuit comprising the third conductive layer including:

h image signal lines that supply image signals in response to h data lines, wherein h is an integer of at least two; and

sampling switches, each being provided to the corresponding data line, that sample the corresponding image signal among the image signals supplied to the h image signal lines in response to a predetermined sampling signal, and supply the image signal to the corresponding data line,

wherein the parallel leads are used as at least parts of leads which are branched from the image signal lines towards the sampling switches.

11. (Amended) The electro-optical device according to claim 68, the lead comprising the second conductive layer of the parallel leads passing through between third and fourth contact holes which expose the lead comprising the first conductive layer, and

the lead comprising the third conductive layer of the parallel leads being provided a position corresponding to the third or fourth contact hole and being electrically connected to a fifth contact hole which exposes the lead comprising the second conductive layer.

13. (Amended) The electro-optical device according to claim 68, the lead comprising the second conductive layer of the parallel leads passing through between third and fourth contact holes which expose the lead comprising the first conductive layer, and the lead comprising the third conductive layer of the parallel leads being provided a position different from the third and fourth contact holes and is electrically connected to a sixth contact hole which exposes the lead comprising the first conductive layer.